



PATENT APPLICATION

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For: METHOD FOR PROVIDING CANVAS OF PAPER-MAKING MACHINE WITH ANTI-STAINING AGENT THROUGH SPRINKLING, AND SLIDING

SPRINKLE DEVICE AND ANTI-STAINING AGENT FOR USE THEREIN

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## SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

Sir:

Supplemental to the Response filed December 18, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

(Please see following pages.)

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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